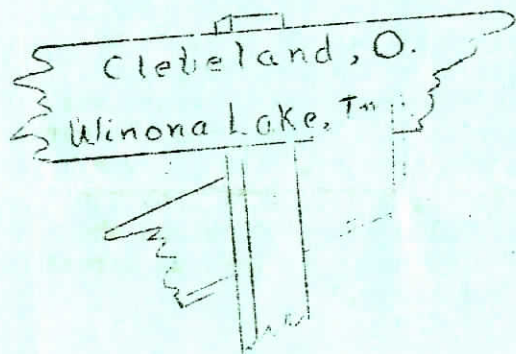


Alumni
News
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Dayton, Tennessee
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Attention: All Bryanites, past, present and future. If you live in the vicinity of Cleveland, you are invited to a Bryan get-together the week-end of September 10th. If you can arrange to attend, please write to Miss Eulalie Escottier, 9812 Eaton Avenue, Cleveland 4, Ohio

The annual reunion for Bryanites in or near Winona Lake, Ind. is also being planned for the middle of August. If you want further details, please write to Mr. Edward Miller, Winona Lake, Ind.

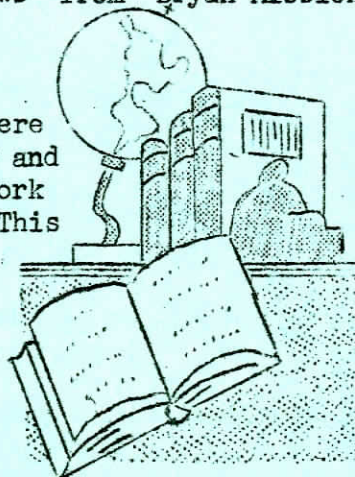
Recent Campus Visitors

During commencement among other visitors were a number of former students and graduates: Evelyn Good ex'50, Lena Mead ex'48, Betty Birch '46, Beatrice Morgan '45, LaVerne Howland '47, Wesley Bookamer ex '51, Jean Pulkin ex'49, Leonard Winstead '43, Angie Garber '47, Nita Bookamer Brickel ex'49, Robert and Alice St. John '44 and ex '47.

News from Bryan Missionaries

Albert Wyllie, '44, Africa

"Last year just before Christmas, five young men were graduated from our Seminary and went out to take up their work amongst their own people. This year four more young men, trained and equipped with the sure Word of God, are going back to preach Christ and Him crucified, buried and risen again, to those who sit in darkness. Thus we have nine testimonies in these two years witnessing to the power of Christ in the life."



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CHRIST ALONE CAN SAVE THE WORLD; BUT CHRIST
CANNOT SAVE THE WORLD ALONE.

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Mildred Kuntz, '40, Lupton, Ariz.

"It is thrilling to go to the Indian camps and have open-air meetings. The women like to spin and card wool in the sunshine. However, they are very attentive and stop their work as God's Word is given forth. The children also are happy to see the missionary and love to sing the Bible songs and say Bible verses. One day, as we tried to reach some camps, we were hindered because there was water in the canyon, and the car could not cross. God is ever faithful, and He sent a Navajo woman along in a wagon and she was very happy to take us across to her hogan."

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Ralph Toliver, '38, China

"Rebecca has been asked to teach English to the wife of the new mayor of Chungking. . . the last time I wrote I may have mentioned that the closest Communist fighting was 350 air miles from Chungking. Now, praise the Lord, they are some farther away than that, and it does not look as if a drive on this province will materialize in the near future."

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Louise Post, '41, Salyersville, Ky.

"I have just returned from our Workers' Prayer Conference where Rev. George Schmeiser was our speaker. . . believe we will have large camps this year, do pray that it will be the best year, not just from a standpoint of numbers but from a spiritual standpoint."

TO THE ALUMNI.

Graduates of Bryan University! Fellow Alumni! Without a doubt everyone of you has heard of the startling awakening which God has wrought among the student body through MSM. The Spirit of God has gripped hearts and many have seen the supreme need of throwing themselves whole-heartedly behind God's work on Bryan Hill. There is new life, new zeal, and new determination to pray, give, and work as never before. For the summer months those students have left Bryan University. But they are still working! God is using them to arouse others from their lethargy. Others are catching a vision of what God has done and can do through Bryan University.

Now, what of the Alumni? What are WE doing? We can do much for Bryan and we must do much.

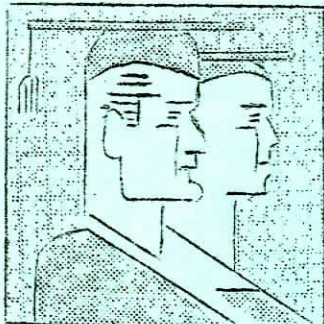
No doubt all of you have new interests and new responsibilities, but that does not alter the great fact that all of us have a responsibility to our Alma Mater! Just stop for a moment and think of the spiritual blessings, fellowship, and training which you enjoyed and shared on Bryan Hill. Just take a look (on other pages of this paper) at all the Lord is doing through different members of the Alumni. Surely such reports should make us deeply grateful for Bryan University. And surely we should be grateful for the fact that it took us in and gave us the privileges of a Christian education. Let's prove our gratitude.

Now, let's face facts. A glance at our MSM files shows that very few alumni members have signed cards. Too, pledges have not been met. For example, of the \$3,000 pledged by the Alumni Association in June, 1947, toward the construction of the Memorial Chapel, after 14 months only \$973.16 have been given. All the Alumni members (over 500) were contacted, but only around 75 have responded. Are you among the 425 (or more) unresponsive ones?

Yes, God is working mightily here, but He needs and can use the combined efforts of the Alumni. Let's pray earnestly, work faithfully, and give liberally toward the promotion of Bryan University.

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"What I spent I had;
What I kept I lost;
What I gave I have."



COMMENCEMENT ON BRYAN HILL

"And truly our fellowship is with the Father and with His Son Jesus Christ."

Twenty seniors received those coveted degrees in our fifteenth commencement season on Bryan Hill. The services of the commencement week-end were varied and interesting: the Alumni Banquet on June 5th with Rev. J. S. Brownlee as the speaker; Baccalaureate service

when Mr. H. E. Eavey of Xenia, Ohio spoke; the President's Reception for the Seniors; a lovely Senior vesper hour, and finally the Commencement service held in the new Chapel. Our dear friend and brother, Dr. Allen Fleece, of Chattanooga, was commencement speaker and his message was deeply appreciated.

At the alumni meeting, new officers were announced as follows: President, Beatrice Morgan, '45; Vice-President, Beatrice Batson, '44; Secretary-Treasurer, Lillian Borgard Peck, '45.

Elsewhere in Bryanette you'll see a list of Bryanites who came for the commencement activities. The Lord gave us a happy time together in His fellowship-- but we would like for more of the members of the Bryan family to enjoy it with us. Commencement next year will be on June 8th. PLAN NOW to spend a part of your vacation on Bryan Hill, meet new and old Bryanites and see for yourself how the Lord is continuing to bless the testimony of Bryan.

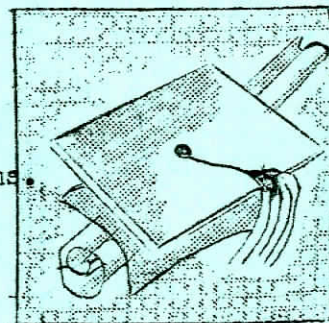
"I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever; with my mouth will I make known thy faithfulness to all generations."

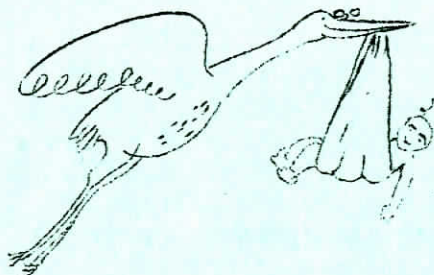
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Bryanites who stopped for brief visits on the campus recently include Logan Rector '34, Dorothy White Wilson '40, Betty Lou Parr ex '50, Wm. Wonderly '36, James Doud '42, Marjorie Yancey Weaver '34, and Clyde and Garland Ryan ex '35 and ex '36.

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How many students have come to Bryan as a result of your efforts to tell about your Alma Mater?





Bryan Enrollees for 1966

Keren Faith Shannon, born **July 24** to **Jack** and Peggy Shannon, ex'34, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Rosalie Ann de Rosset, born May 7 to Ed '39 and Joyce Hirschy '40 de Rosset, Cajamarea, Peru.

Alice Joy Honeywell, born July 21 to Harold and Joy ex'35 Honeywell, Delton, Mich.

✓ Elizabeth Ruth Brodt, born July 7 to Fred and Dagmar Brodt ex'46, St. Paul, Minn.

Daniel Van Theobald, born June 9 to Paul ex'43 and Leona Wilson Theobald '42, St. Paul, Minn.

Joyce Evelyn Marken, born July 25 to Kenneth '47 and Evelyn Marken, Richmond, Va.

NEWS ITEMS

Robert St. John '44 recently moved to Tennessee, accepting the pastorate of a church in Kingston, Tennessee.

Warren Oliff '42 was guest speaker at the Arlington Revival Hour, Arlington, Va. on June 13th.

Harold '29 and Eileen '40 Fuss have moved from Hammonton, N. J. to Westville, N.J. where Harold is pastor of the Westville Methodist Church.

Bryanites at **the Summer Institute of Linguistics**, Norman, Oklahoma this summer include Florence Monck '47; George Cone '50, Eulalie Escoffier '51, Wm. Wonderly '36 and a former staff member, Miss Iona Lyster, and Henry and Ester Moeller, '49.

Richard Langford '43 who is continuing his ministry with the Young Life Campaign in Dallas, Texas was guest minister at the Goss Memorial Church in Akron, Ohio on July 25 and August 1. On July 21st, he also led prayer meeting in the Calvary Baptist Church in Clendenin, West Va. where he was visiting his parents.

MORE OF UNCLE SAM'S MAIL

Bethel Smith ex'45, Greensboro, N.C.

"When I received the Alumni letter, I felt like taking a plane to Bryan. It did make me so homesick to see all of you again. . .saw LaVerne Howland, not long ago at Youth for Christ in Greensboro . . .we had a grand time talking of Bryan. . this year I have been teaching English and Bible here in People's Bible School. I surely have enjoyed my work with the young people. . .At the Women's College of the University of North Carolina I have done graduate work on Saturdays. . Thanks for the Newsette. It means more than I can say."

William F. Kerr '39, Chicago, Ill.

"I'm happy to see the great progress that is being made. . .I'm convinced that God has a great part for it to play in His plan for Christian education. . . .We are looking forward to the coming of the University singers to this vicinity."

Clyde '44 and Frances Reed ex'46 Brogan, Shreveport, La.

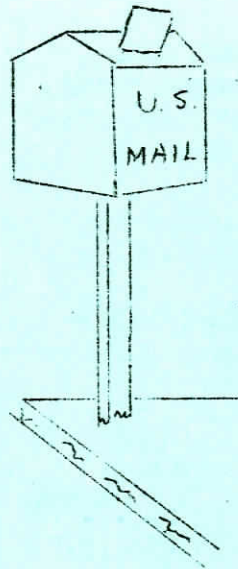
"Enclosed is a gift for the Memorial Chapel. . .Clyde is just recovering from the effects of an auto accident which put him in the hospital for a couple days. He is feeling pretty good now however. We certainly praise the Lord that he wasn't hurt worse. His head broke an awful hole in the windshield, but he only got one bad cut on his head from it. We certainly enjoy Bryanette."

La Verne Howland '47, New London, Ohio

"I have neglected sending in my card since MSM started, but I want you to know that I believe **that** the Lord is really in this and that He is going to show that 'If God be for us, who can be against us?'. . .I have had a great deal of blessing this summer by going to several churches with John Reed and Joel Kettenring for the Lord and MSM. He has used the boys to His glory and I have been thrilled with the reactions of the people."

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If YOU know of any Bryanite who does not receive Bryanette, please let us know his name and address. Our Bryanette files indicate that there are 50 or more former students for whom we have no address.



Tom (Manford) Cain '43, Chicago, Ill.

"...the Lord has been doing great and marvelous things in these four years. It hardly seems possible that over four years ago I saw Bryan Campus for the last time. Lots has happened during that time...God in His own faithful way has made known that His place of service for me is India. Our fields in India are in the United Province with headquarters at Fatchpur and Kashmir with headquarters at Batote. It seems that the Lord is arranging for a party of seven of us, three men and four women to leave the West Coast in the early fall, possibly September. A few weeks ago I met Rebecca Peck ('40) in Moody Church after one of the meetings...received a little of Bryan news then, but haven't had much since."

Paul E. Smith ex'48, Northampton, Mass.

"...the Lord has been most wonderful to me and has opened up the way for me to do graduate work at Harvard by means of a fellowship. I certainly do praise Him for His goodness to me."

Wayne Smith '41, Phoenix, Ariz.

"Our Father is keeping us very busy; Sunday afternoon in a Navajo Camp, Sunday evening a street meeting, and Wednesday night's services in a Helping Hand Mission besides the regular church services. It appears He will soon establish us in full-time service..."

Lula Mae Houston Beebe ex'38, Bartow, Fla.

"I had hoped to get to Bryan for commencement this year, but just could not make it. I am going to come one of these times though...I have been working for almost a year now as Educational Director and Secretary of our church (First Baptist of Bartow). Please don't fail to send me the Bryanette. I practically devour every page. I may not write very often, but that doesn't mean that I do not think of you and pray for you very often."

Weddings:

Martha Mae Ladd to Milton Murphey ex'44, June 8, 1948, Upland, Ind.

Nita Bookamer ex'49 to Bruce Brickel '50, June 19, 1948, Irvona, Penna.

Jacquelyn Howell '50 to Don Oakley '50, June 25, 1948, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Phyllis Eaton ex'50 to Dale Mead '48, June 27, South Bend, Ind.

WANTED:

1. More news from Bryanites.
2. Suggestions to make Bryanette more interesting and valuable to you.
3. Your new address when you move.

PRAYER REQUEST: Word has just reached us that Hazel Waller '43, is confined to a hospital in Yunnan, China, because of illness. Her friends will want to remember her needs to our Heavenly Father.